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Wednesday, the *8th of August 1934.* / *24th of Karkadagam 1109.*

The House met at half-past eleven with C. G. Herbert Esq., I. C. S., the President, in the Chair. Dr. A G. Menon, Messrs. C. Barton Wright, M. A. Chakko, K. G. Nayar, C. N. Ittiravi Nambudiri, A. I. Mani, K. T. Mathew, K. Mohamed Seethi, C. A. Ouseph and Thomas Manjuran were absent.

Questions and Answers.

Publication of the Unrepealed Regulations.

251. Mr. E. Ikkanda Warriar.—Will the Government be pleased to state what steps, if any, they have taken to bring out consolidated publications of all the unrepealed Regulations and the rules framed thereunder?

Mr. Thomas Manjuran.—The special Regulations have already been compiled by the Registrar of the Chief Court and are awaiting publication. The rules framed under those Regulations have also been incorporated along with the Regulations. With regard to the other Regulations also the Chief Court Registrar has been entrusted by the Government with the work of compiling them and the rules framed under them.

Mr. E. Ikkanda Warriar.—When do they expect to complete the publication?

Rama Varmha Tampuran.—The special Regulations have been compiled and they have been sent to the Press. I think it will be completed soon.

Mr. Paul Mampilli.—May we approximately know the time when this will be completed?

Rama Varmha Tampuran.—I should think in about 2 to 3 months.

Mr. E. Ikkanda Warriar.—Does this volume that has been given to the Press include all the unrepealed Regulations?

Rama Varmha Tampuran.—No. As regards the other Regulations I think they are only under compilation.

Mr. E. Ikkanda Warriar.—What does this special Regulation consist of?

Rama Varmha Tampuran.—I do not know exactly what it is. I think it is the Petrol, Arms and such other Regulations.

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Mr. E. Ikkanda Warriar.—May I know who is compiling the other unrepealed Regulations?

Rama Varmha Tampuran.—Action has been taken to publish all the unrepealed Regulations very soon.

Mr. E. Ikkanda Warriar.—May I know at what stage it now stands? We have been asking for this for the last 4 or 5 years.

Rama Varmha Tampuran.—The Chief Court Registrar has been asked to compile them and I think he is just compiling them.

Efficiency audit of the Office of the Registrar of Co-operative Societies.

252. Mr. K. T. Mathew.—Will the Government be pleased to state:—

(a) whether during the efficiency audit of the accounts of the Office of the Registrar of Co-operative Societies for 1107, a tampered voucher about the purchase of a time-piece was noticed and reported to the Government; and if so,

(b) whether the said voucher be placed on the table;

(c) what action was taken by the Government on receipt of the report referred to in sub-division (a);

(d) if any explanation was called for, whether it will be printed and placed on the table; and

(e) whether the orders passed by the Government be printed and placed on the table?

Rama Varmha Tampuran.—(a) There was no voucher which was tampered with.

(b) to (e) These questions do not arise.

253. Mr. K. T. Mathew.—Will the Government be pleased to state:—

(a) whether the Government had called for any of the D. B. C. Registers regarding the stock and supply of Co-operative Registers and forms maintained in the Office of the Registrar of Co-operative Societies;

(b) whether the Government have been informed that the D. B. C. Register was not forthcoming; and if so, when;

(c) whether any action was taken on the Registrar's report; and if so, what is the nature of the action taken;

(d) when were the registers called for;

(e) whether there was any complaint that the amount recovered by the Registrar from the societies on account of value of Registers, etc., supplied were not credited in his accounts and that the societies concerned were induced to pay a second time?

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